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### RULES SUPPLEMENT TO PART-I EXTRAORDINARY OF

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### NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

# MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

(C1)

AMENDMENT TO THE GREATER HYDERABAD MUNICIPAL CORPORATION (CONSTITUTION, CONDUCT OF MEETINGS, POWERS AND FUNCTIONS OF WARD COMMITTEES AND AREA SABHAS) RULES, 2010.

[G.O.Ms. No. 251, Municipal Administration & Urban Development (C1), 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2017.]

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 585 read with Sections 8-A and 8-B of the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation Act, 1955, the Government of the Telangana makes the following amendments to the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation (Constitution, conduct of meetings, powers and functions of Ward Committees and Area Sabhas) Rules, 2010, as amended from time to time.

#### **AMENDMENT**

- I. In the said Rules:-
  - (1) In rule (31), for the words "Chapter-III: Area Sabha" the words "Chapter-III: Area Sabha (Basthi Sabha)" shall be substituted;
  - (2) After the rule 32, the following rule shall be inserted, namely;

#### "32(a) (1) Area Sabha Members

In addition to Area Sabha Representative (ASR) not more than ten electors representing civil society shall be nominated for each area by the Commissioner or an Officer authorized by the Commissioner as Area Sabha Members.

#### 32(a) (2) Qualifications and Disqualifications

Qualifications and Disqualifications prescribed to the elected members of the Corporation shall apply to the Area Sabha Members. The term of the Area Sabha Members shall be conterminous with that of the Corporation.

## 32(a) (3) Persons eligible to nomination as Area Sabha Members

- (i) Fifty percent of the Area Sabha Members to be nominated to the Area Sabha shall be Women.
- (ii) The following persons representing civil society who are registered as voters in the electoral roll of the ward and the area concerned are eligible for nomination as Area Sabha Members.
- a. A President/Secretary representing registered Residents Welfare Association in the area.
- b. A President/Secretary of Slum Level Federation (i.e. NHC) of a Slum in the area, in case of non availability of Slum Level Federation in the area representative of senior most Self Help Group in the area.
- c. A member of Registered Association/Institution/Body/ Organization/Mahila Mandali/Trade Union/Chamber of Commerce.

- d. Self Employed persons namely Auto/Taxi Drivers, Rickshaw pullers, Hamali, Street Vendor, Carpenter/Electrician/Plumber or any other category of Self Employed person".
- (3) After rule 35, the following rule shall be inserted, namely;
  - "35(1) The Commissioner or an Officer authorized by the Commissioner shall issue proceedings indicating the name of the persons nominated as Area Sabha Members and send an attested copy of the proceedings to the Head Office and affix a copy of the proceeding on the notice board of the Corporation Office and Circle Office."
- (4) In rule 38(2), for the words "Area Sabha Representative shall fix the date and time of the meeting and inform it to all the electors in the area through Secretary of the Ward Committee. Atleast fifty voters shall be present at the meeting of the Area Sabha" the words "The Area Sabha Representative (ASR) shall fix the date and time of the meeting and inform it to the Area Sabha Members in the area through Secretary of the Ward Committee" shall be substituted;
- (5) In rule 38(5), after the words "Meeting of the Area Sabha" the following words shall be added namely; "to the Area Sabha Members and".
- (6) After rule 38(5) the following rule shall be inserted, namely; "38(6) "All meetings of the Area Sabha shall be open to the public".
  - 38(7) "No business shall be transacted at a meeting unless there be represent at least one half of the total members then on the Area Sabha".

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